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431459. CITRUS KINOKUNI Hort. ex Tanaka Rutaceae.

Mandarin.

Nan Fong. Origin Kiangsi. Fruit flat round, small, high quality. Rind yellow and orange. Flesh very sweet, tender, fine textured, good flavor. Seeds few, monoembryonic. Trees cold resistant, intermediate in size, spreading habit. Maturity November.

431460. CITRUS SINENSIS (L.) Osb. Rutaceae.

Sweet orange.

Ching Chan (Glorious). Origin Szechwan, Su Chiang Province. Fruit oblong, medium. Rind dark orange. Flesh high in sugar and acid, good for juice. Seed polyembryonic. Maturity December. Yield high.

431461. FORTUNELA CRASSIFOLIA Swingle Rutaceae.

Kumqua

Jin Dang. Flowers in spring and fall. Fruit oval, small. Rind yellowish orange, thick. Flesh sweet, fibrous, used for processing as candy, jam, and cakes. Seed polyembryonic.

431462. CITRUS LIMON (L.) Burm. f. Rutaceae. Lemon.

From Iran. Cuttings presented by L. C. Cochran through the Safiabad Research Center, Dezful. Received October 31, 1978.

Locally grown. Smaller than U.S. Lisbons. Skin thin. Keeping quality good.

431463. ASPARAGUS OFFICINALIS L. Liliaceae.

Garden asparagus.

From West Germany. Seed presented by Institut fur Angewandte Genetik Der Techischen, Universitat Hannover, Hannover. Received December 29, 1978. Tetraploid. U.S. greenhouse seed increase. Most plants hermaphroditic.